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Sir:

In compliance with Rules 1.97 and 1.98, and in fulfillment of the duty of disclosure under Rule 1.56, the cited documents are made of record on the enclosed PTO Form-1449.

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A concise explanation of the relevance of U.S. Patent 6,165,987 is that this reference was cited by the New Zealand Patent Office in the corresponding New Zealand Application Serial No. NZ 520295, filed July 19, 2002. A copy of the New Zealand Examination Report in which it was cited is attached hereto.

A concise explanation of the relevance of the latter item (NZ 336193) is that we are advised by our client that this reference was discovered during any searches they or their client had made, or that it was considered in the preparation of the application,

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